

### **REMARKS**


Claims 11-22 are now pending in the application. Claims 1-10 have been cancelled.

### **CONCLUSION**

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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